

# Window or Gutter-Mount Mobile TV Antenna

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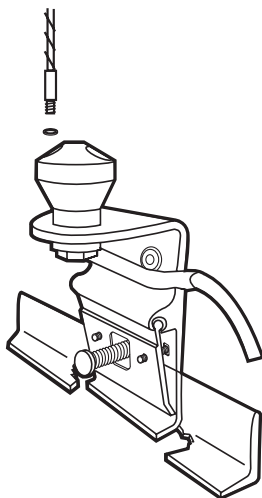
The RadioShack Window or Gutter-Mount Mobile TV Antenna delivers optimum reception of VHF and UHF signals to a TV in your car or RV. The loaded fiberglass elements provide omni-directional reception that minimizes the effect of vehicle position on the picture quality. The gutter-mount bracket lets you mount the antenna without drilling holes or making other permanent modifications to your vehicle.

## MOUNTING THE ANTENNA

All mobile antennas use the metal body as an electrical ground plane. For optimum reception, your vehicle's gutters must be metal and must be directly connected to a metal roof.

**Important:** Some states have laws that forbid the use of TVs on the front seat of a vehicle.

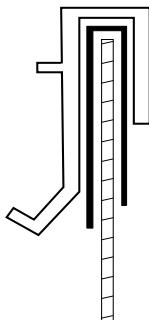
1. Loosen the mounting screws on the mounting bracket.
2. Position the bracket on the vehicle's gutter. If the gutter is extremely wide, you might have to remove the mounting bracket.
3. Tighten the mounting screws until the mounting bracket is secure. Mount the antenna securely to ensure optimum performance.
4. Turn the vertical adjustment screw so that the side-to-side axis of the bracket is vertical. Be sure that the plastic cap is on the adjustment screw before you tighten the screw.
5. Place a rubber O-ring over the threads on each antenna element, then screw the elements into the mounting bracket.



## On Vehicles Without Gutters

1. Place the felt pad between the upper edge of the rear window glass and the mounting bracket.
2. Carefully press the bracket over the pad, then roll up the window.
3. Follow Steps 1–5 under "Mounting the Antenna" to complete the mounting of your antenna.

**Note:** All references to "the gutter" now refer to "the glass-mount bracket".



## CONNECTING THE ANTENNA TO THE TV

1. Route the antenna cable between the vehicle's door and the doorjamb. The door's rubber seal prevents damage to the cable and usually prevents water leakage.

If the cable is not long enough to reach the TV, your local RadioShack store sells coaxial cable and in line connectors to extend the cable.

Do not roll the window up tightly against the wire. Doing this might damage the wire.

2. If your TV has a combined VHF/UHF antenna input, connect the cable directly to the TV.

If your TV has 1/8-inch VHF/UHF antenna jacks, you need a special adapter (Cat. No. 278-257) to connect an antenna to this type of jack.

If your TV has only 300-ohm antenna terminals, use a 75-to-300ohm transformer (Cat. No. 15-1140) to complete the connection.

If your TV has separate VHF and UHF terminals, use a VHF/UHF splitter to complete the connection. Your local RadioShack store sells a variety of splitters.

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